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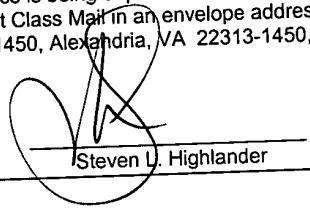
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Matter No. 10009005 / Our Ref. No. UMIC:048US

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

1. Supplemental Request for Reconsideration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111;
2. Declaration of Michael Long Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132;
3. Declaration of Julie Glowacki Under 37 C.F.R.
4. A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please date stamp and mail this postcard.

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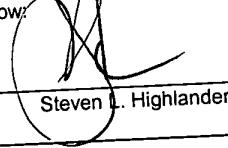
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Michael W. LONG

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SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Enclosed is a signed copy of the declaration of Dr. Michael Long under 37 C.F.R. §1.132, filed in unsigned form with the response of October 6, 2003.